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Serial No. 09/840,260
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Group Art Unit 1653
Examiner D. Lukton

For: Coumermycin Analogs ad Chemical Dimerizers of Chimeric Proteins

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AMENDMENT

This Amendment is being submitted in response to the official Action of November 29, 2004 for which a response is due February 28, 2005. The examiner is respectfully requested to consider the following remarks and amendments to the claims.

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